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12. (Unclassified - RLB) LIAISON Spoke with Thomas Mooney, on the staff of the Subcommittee on Courts, Civil Liberties, and the Administration of Justice, House Judiciary Committee, regarding the status of H. R. 12750, the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act of 1976. Mr. Mooney said one or two more days of hearings were contemplated but had not yet been scheduled. Regarding H. R. 214, the Right to Privacy Act of 1976, Mr. Mooney said the Committee might consider the bill as early as 18 May.

13. (Unclassified - RLB) CONSTITUENT Received a call from a member of Representative M. Gene Synder's (R., Ky.) staff who wanted to know if we could provide for them, in response to a constituent request, an Agency report referred to recently in a Louisville paper having to do with famine in India and China. I referred the staff member to the Library of Congress to request a copy of the OPR study on "Potential Implications of Trends in World Population, Food Production, and Climate."

14. (Unclassified - RLB) LIAISON Robert Carlstrom, from the Office of Management and Budget, called and wanted to know if it would be possible for us to send a copy of the views letter on S. 796, which had been prepared by [redacted] to a Mr. Richard Berg of the Administrative Conference of the U.S. I told him I would check on this and would get back to him, although I said it was my impression we were not in the business of providing views letters on legislation to private organizations.

15. (Unclassified - NDL) LIAISON The following offices requested copies of the climatology report: Office of Technology Assessment, U. S. Library of Congress; Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress; Office of Energy Resources, Department of Commerce; Representative Timothy E. Wirth (D., Colo.); and Representative Philip R. Sharp (D., Ind.). We told the requesters we would mail them copies when they became available.

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24. (Internal Use Only - PLC) LEGISLATION Delivered to the office of Bill Hogan, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, the "Ramseyer" setting forth changes in existing law and a revised sectional analysis for inclusion in the Committee's report on H. R. 13615 (previously H. R. 11088) to amend CIARDS. The bill has been scheduled for Thursday, 13 May at 1000 hours.

25. (Confidential - PLC) HEARING Delivered to Duke Short, Senate Judiciary Subcommittee on Internal Security staff, material

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26. (Internal Use Only - PLC) LIAISON Called Bob Carlstrom, OMB and discussed the statements of the Internal Revenue Service and Department of Defense to be given before the House Government Operations Subcommittee on Government Information and Individual Rights today and submitted to the Agency for comment. The thrust of IRS is to oppose notification. The DOD statement opposes the Subcommittee's bills but is noncommittal concerning any alleged improper Defense holdings. Carlstrom felt, however, that the Army's surveillance of domestic dissident groups and NSA's intercept of commercial international communications will undoubtedly be the subject of questions during the hearing.

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